

1
2
3
4
5
6 WINE SCOUT INTERNATIONAL,

7 Plaintiff,

8 No. C 07-05930 JSW

9 v.

10 PATRICIA CROWELL,

11 Defendant.

12 **ORDER RE DISCOVERY**
13 **DISPUTE AND REQUEST FOR**
14 **CLARIFICATION**

15
16 On May 8, 2008, plaintiff and counter-defendant Wine Scout International (“Wine
17 Scout”) and third-party defendant Mark Pope (“Pope”) filed a document entitled “Request for
18 Court Clarification Concerning Amended Notice of Unavailability of Counsel.” The request
19 presents a discovery dispute in violation of the Court’s procedures for resolving discovery
20 disputes. *See* Standing Order ¶ 7. The Court will not sanction the parties at this time, but the
21 parties are hereby admonished that future violations will be sanctioned.

22 At the Case Management Conference, although the Court noted that Notices of
23 Unavailability are not recognized in federal court, the Court admonished the parties to be civil
24 and accommodate one another’s schedules. The Court HEREBY ORDERS that the parties shall
25 meet and confer in person on May 22, 2008 and submit a stipulated discovery plan to the Court

26 ///

27 ///

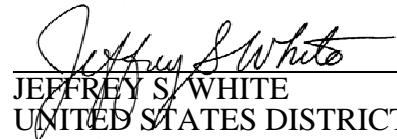
28 ///

1 by May 23, 2008. Discovery will be open after the parties file the stipulated discovery plan.

2 Any discovery propounded before May 23, 2008 is VACATED.

3 **IT IS SO ORDERED.**

4
5 Dated: May 13, 2008


6 JEFFREY S. WHITE
7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT JUDGE
8
9
10
11
12
13
14
15
16
17
18
19
20
21
22
23
24
25
26
27
28